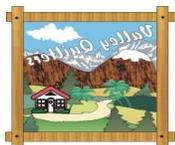


Newsletter



**"Wise Words Bring Many Benefits,
And Hard Work Brings Rewards"
Proverbs 12:14**



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President's Message



Dear Valley Quilters,

I will have to say my Presidency has been nothing like what I what I expected it to be when I took office. In the almost 6 months since I have become your president, we have had 3 board meetings and 1 guild meeting. Not a record I was thinking of making. I am so looking forward to our Guild meeting August 25th. It will be so nice getting to see everyone even though, we'll have to wear our masks.

We'll have to abide by the rules and wear our masks and social distance, as much as we can. We will not be having refreshments at the Guild meeting, but we will provide water and coffee for everyone. Its just too hard to find prewrapped snacks, so we will forgo the refreshments at this meeting.

I am happy to say I have finished my Challenge Quilt. Now, just need to get it off to the quilters. I hope you are all working on your Challenge project and keeping up with the Block of the Month patterns. Please let's save the Challenge project for the December reveal and not share it on social media.

I want to thank Linda Wayment for keeping us up to date and sending out the BOM each month. I also want to thank all of you, the members who are working behind the scenes doing things for the Guild. We may not be meeting in person, but I do hear about all the wonderful things that are going on, and I Thank You.

So, into the sewing room I go to lose my mind and find my soul.

Your President,

Mary Myers

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Programs

Kathleen Jones, 1st Vice President

Allyson Allen will be our guest speaker at our Tuesday, August 25th meeting. She will talk about Slave Era Quilts and the Underground Railroad. This could change, if we have to cancel the meeting.

Upcoming Programs:

September 22nd - Birthday Lunch, Between the Stiches

October 27th - Susie Nash, The Art of College

No workshops being offered at this time.

Thanks!

Kathleen ☺

Membership

Grace Ward, 2nd Vice President

Our current guild membership is holding at 101 members.

SCCQG

Linda St. Jean

Nothing to report at this time.

Road to California 2021

January 21-24, 2021

Quilters Calendar

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| Aug 25 | VQ Guild Meeting - Seven Hills/Speaker Allyson Allen, Slave Era Quilts and Underground Railroad |
| Sept 14 | VQ Board Mtg-Location to be determined |
| Sept 21 | Buying and Learning About Landscape Fabric
By Phyllis Binkley |
| Sept 22 | VQ Guild Meeting - Seven Hills/Birthday Lunch/Guest-Between the Stiches |

[SCCQG's List of Upcoming Quilt Shows:](#)

Quilt Shows are postponed until further notice.

Note of Thanks

Thank You to all who sent me cards and "Get Well" Greetings during my recent surgery & hospital stay. With the Covid-19 restrictions of "No Visitors", cards and calls really took on even more importance, as a way of contact and really did help lift my spirits. I am now home, recovering and should be up and walking in a short period of time. Again, my thanks for all your prayers and concerns. It really did make a difference. Hope to see everyone in the near future.
Linda St. Jean.

July 2020



10 Hortencia Roesler 14 Tawnya O'Herron
19 Mike Yeager 25 Nancy Alakin
30 Amy Mora

Sunshine & Shadows

Ann Lontz

Thankfully, nothing to report.



Yakkers and Philanthropy Projects

Kathleen Jones and Natasha Macias
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Quilters, please bring any Security Quilts that you have finished to the August 25th meeting. Also, if you have made a quilt and would like to donate it for a good cause, please bring it to the meeting. We are trying to get back to giving quilts away to people in need.

Thanks!

Kathleen Jones and Natasha Macias

2021 Retreat

Kathy Barbay

Just a reminder the 2021 Retreat is **March 8-11, 2021**. The prices are the same as this years retreat. Double occupancy is \$330 each. Single and triple are also available.

We have 19 members signed up for the retreat, so far. That leaves 6 spaces available. Remember the \$80 deposit will hold your spot, so please get your money in as soon as possible.

Please call me at 951-805-3278 or send an email to catskathy@ix.netcom.com to let me know all the details, such as who is going, and any specific needs. Deposits can be mailed to my home address. Checks should be made out to Valley Quilters. You don't want to miss out!



Quilt - Women of the Bible
\$15 per Pattern
Grace Ward



One of the ideas of raising funds for the guild was to offer a CD with 40 block patterns that would create a beautiful quilt called **Women of the Bible**.

After deducting the cost of the pattern, all proceeds will be donated to the guild. If you would like to buy one, you can pick up a copy at Marianne Crouch's in Hemet. To pick up a CD from Marianne, contact her to let her know that you will be stopping by. When you get to Marianne's leave \$15 in cash or check on the stool in front of her door and she will leave a CD on the stool for you to pick up. If you live towards Meniffee/Canyon Lake area and you would like to get a copy, just let me know and I will meet you somewhere.

Throughout this 40-block series, you will be introduced to several Women of the Bible through individual quilt blocks. Each pattern begins with historical references and devotional reflection. At the end of each block is a space provided for your personal reflection. Kathy Ray has started this quilt and is on her way of putting the blocks together. See below.



Mini Workshops

Sue Roberts

Workshops will be on Monday's at
Valley-Wide Recreation Center

Starting Time: 11:30am
(Unless Otherwise noted)

**Buying and Learning About
Landscape Fabric**

By Phyllis Binkley

Sept 21, 2020

12:00 pm to 3:00 pm

**(This may be postponed, if
Valley Wide is not open)**

Don't miss this great opportunity to purchase Landscape Fabric with the webbing already ironed on the back. Be sure to bring your pattern or photo idea and Phyllis will help you select the fabric. She will also, give handy tips on pattern selection and how to use the Landscape fabric. This is not an actual class, but a chance to accumulate the needed fabrics. If you have any questions, Please contact Phyllis Binkley at phyllisbinkley@yahoo.com or 951-306-8029.

Signup sheet will be out at our August meeting.

A \$5 fee is required at time of sign up or at least the month before the scheduled mini workshop. It will be returned to you at the workshop if you attend.

Block of The Month

Linda Wayment

I will be posting the next block on the email tree around the August guild meeting date. If we are able to meet, I will have copies available at the meeting, as well.

Hope you are having fun with the different patterns!

If you have any questions, I will be happy to try and answer them.

Keep on Quilting!
Linda

Fat Quarter Fun

Linda Lemcke and Charlotte Morton



**June, July & August
Fat Quarter:**

Red, White & Blue

Show and Tell

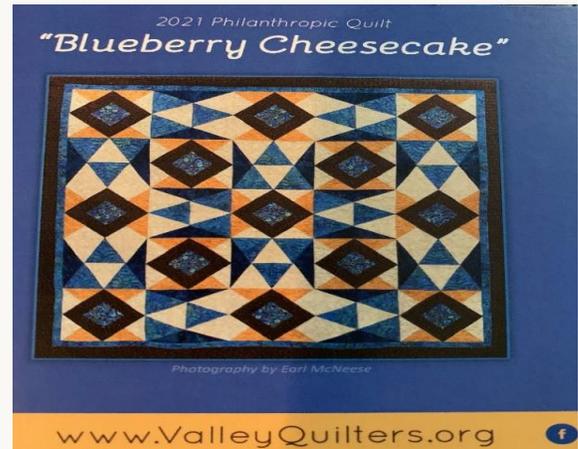
Marith Jones and Edna Hornhokl

I have heard from a pretty good source that we will be actually meeting this month. Yeah! So, lets make the Show and Tell portion of the meeting be a big event. Bring up to 3 quilts or projects that you have been working on to the August 25th meeting and tell us all about them. Looking forward to seeing you all there!

Marith Jones



Opportunity Quilt Update Sue Leuschen & Lori Mathis



Not much going on here. Please keep selling tickets for the Opportunity Quilt. If you know a place, we can sell tickets, please let us know.

We may have another place to sell tickets this fall. Will keep you posted.

Sue Leuschen

Hospitality August Meeting

Pat Newsom and Ginny Anderson

No refreshments at the August guild meeting. Only coffee and water will be provided.





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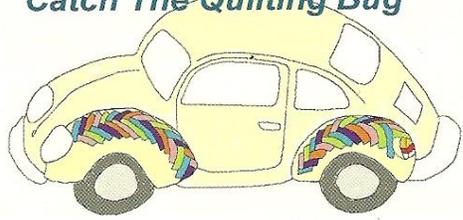
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**Remember to bring to the
August meeting:**

Name badge, Show & Tell items, Fat Quarter:
Red, White & Blue, completed Security Quilts
and Pillow cases

Valley Quilters Guild meets at
9:30am on the 4th Tuesday of each
month (arrive a little early, if you
want to visit before the meeting
starts).

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